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1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee	1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE	1453		2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
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1204 86 2204 43 ** Reissue independent claims	1010		2010	. 505	examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	
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